

**LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD**

**Austin, Texas**

**FISCAL NOTE, 81ST LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION**

**May 11, 2009**

**TO:** Honorable Troy Fraser, Chair, Senate Committee on Business & Commerce

**FROM:** John S. O'Brien, Director, Legislative Budget Board

**IN RE: HB1787** by Solomons (Relating to the designation or appointment of registered agents for service of process, notice, or demand on certain entities or associations.), **As Engrossed**

**No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.**

The bill would amend the Business Organizations Code relating to the designation or appointment of registered agents for service of process, notice, or demand for certain entities. The bill would define registered filing, represented domestic entity, and duties of registered agents. The bill would include penalties and liabilities for designating registered agents without their authorization or consent. The bill would be effective January 1, 2010.

**Local Government Impact**

No significant fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

**Source Agencies:** 307 Secretary of State

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